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BEARING STRUCTURE			
Title of Invention			
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Mail Stop PCT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 ATTENTION: DO/US

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION ENTERING NATIONAL STAGE IN U.S. DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US) UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371

This replies to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 (FORM PCT/DO/EO/905).

A copy of FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 accompanies this response.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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DECLARATION OR OATH

I. No original declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is a copy of the original declaration or oath for this application.

AMENDMENT

II. A preliminary amendment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 is attached.

It is requested that all claims for fees be based upon the claims as amended in this paper and that Examination proceed on the basis of this amendment.

TRANSMITTAL OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPERS

III. Submitted herewith, is a verified English translation of the non-English language international application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the PTO, subject to the preliminary amendment listed above. (See 37 C.F.R. § 1.495(c)).

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED

IV. Application Data Sheet

FEES

V.

1. Surcharge Fees

Declaration or oath late payment of filing fee, search fee, examination fee, and/or late filing of original (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(f)) \$ 130.00

2. Fees for claims

Each independent claim in excess of 3	\$ 0.00
Each claim in excess of 20	\$ 0.00
Multiple dependent claim(s)	\$ 0.00

3. For filing an English translation of an international application later than thirty months after the priority date (§ 1.495(c)) and § 1.492(i):

4. Assignment (See "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET") 40.00

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Total fees \$ 300.00

\$ 130.00

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EXTENSION OF TIME

VI. The proceedings herein are for a patent application. The provisions of 37 C.F.R. section 1.1 36(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

VII. The total fee due is:

Completion fee(s)	\$ 300.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE	\$ 300.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

VIII. Attached is a check in the amount of \$300.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0450.

Date: 13 December 2005

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